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Inspection of immigrants at Havana during the week ended June 8, 1901.

HAVANA, CUBA, June 8, 1901.

SIR: I herewith submit report of alien steerage passengers arriving at this port during the week ended June 8, 1901:

Date.	Vessel.	Where from.	No. of immigrants.
June 2	Steamship Julia. Steamship Isla de Panay Steamship Florida Steamship Lafayette. Steamship Mexico Steamship Tordenskjold, Steamship Florida	New York Porto Rico Genoa, Spain, Canary Islands, Porto Rico Key West	4 5 193 6 93 4 1

Respectfully,

A. H. GLENNAN, Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The Surgeon-General, U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Resolution adopted by the Louisiana State board of health relative to treatment of baggage from Cuban ports.

HAVANA, CUBA, June 12, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to inclose herewith a copy of a communication received from the secretary of the Louisiana State board of health.

Respectfully,

A. H. GLENNAN,

Surgeon, U.S. M. H. S.,

Chief Quarantine Officer for the Island of Cuba.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

[Inclosure.]

LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH, New Orleans, La., June 3, 1901.

Gentlemen: At a special meeting of the Louisiana State board of health held Saturday, June 1, 1901, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, that the Southern Pacific Company and all parties interested be informed that any vessel from Cuban ports on which undisinfected baggage is found, regardless of destination of such baggage, will be detained five full days after disinfection of such baggage, at the Mississippi River Quarantine Station."

A copy of the above will be transmitted to-day to Dr. Jno. N. Thomas, resident physician, Mississippi River Quarantine Station, and to Dr. A. H. Glennan, surgeon, United States Marine-Hospital Service, Havana, Cuba.

Respectfully,

G. FARRAR PATTON, Secretary Louisiana State Board of Health.

The Southern Pacific Company and all others concerned.

Reports from Nuevitas, Gibara, and Puerto Padre.

NUEVITAS, CUBA, June 3, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report for the week ended June 1, 1901:

Six vessels arrived at this port, and 9 bills of health were issued. There were 3 deaths—1 from senility, 1 from valvular insufficiency, and

1 from cholera infantum. The weather is very warm, with rain every day. The sanitary condition of the town is good.

Gibara.—Reports show the arrival of 10 vessels, the issuance of 13 bills

of health, no deaths, and good sanitary condition.

Puerto Padre.—Reports show the arrival of 4 vessels, the issuance of 5 bills of health, 2 deaths—1 from asphyxia, and 1 from pernicious fever, and good sanitary condition.

No quarantinable disease is reported at any point in the district.

Respectfully,

OWEN W. STONE, Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Reports from Nuevitas and Puerto Padre.

NUEVITAS, CUBA, June 11, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report for the week ended June 8, 1901:

Eight vessels arrived at this port and 11 bills of health were issued. There was 1 death from infantile tetanus. The very warm weather, with rain every day, continues. The sanitary condition of the town is good.

Gibara.—Reports show the arrival of 10 vessels, the issuance of 10 bills of health, 3 deaths—1 nephritis, 1 pulmonary tuberculosis, and 1

infantile tetanus. The sanitary condition of the town is good.

Puerto Padre.—Reports show the arrival of 4 vessels, the issuance of 8 bills of health, 3 deaths—1 from dropsy, 1 from dysentery, and 1 from paludal fever. The sanitary condition of the town is good.

No quarantinable disease is reported at any point in the district. Respectfully, OWEN W. STONE,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

ENGLAND.

Report from London—Plague diminishing in Cape Town.

LONDON, ENGLAND, June 1, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report: The general health of England and the British Isles remains satisfactory. One case of typhus fever is reported at Londonderry for the week ended May 25, and in London for the same period there were 6 deaths attributed to influenza as against 19, 17, and 16 in the preceding three weeks.

The number of cases of plague reported from Cape Town continues to diminish. The total number of cases from the beginning of the out-

break to May 25 was 666, with 308 deaths.

Reports from Hongkong show that the plague has become epidemic and for the week ended May 25 there are reported to have been 200 cases of plague, with 187 deaths.

Respectfully,

A. R. THOMAS,

Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.